



HOUSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE MEDIA ALERT

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FIRE TRAINEES GRADUATE FROM HFD ACADEMY

WHAT: Graduation Ceremony of Houston Fire Department Fire Trainee Class 2007D.

WHEN: Tonight, March 6, 2008 at 7 p.m.

WHERE: Greer and Lowdermilk Conference Center, The Houston Firefighters Relief and Retirement Fund, 4225 Interwood N. Parkway off JFK.

DETAILS: Fire Chief Phil Boriskie will give 33 fire trainees the Oath of Office during their graduation ceremony tonight. These new firefighters, including two female trainees, began their training in June of last year.

A recruitment open house for citizens interested in becoming a Houston firefighter will be held on Saturday, April 12, 2008, from 9a.m. to 3p.m. at the George R. Brown Convention Center. For more information, citizens may visit the HFD website at www.houstonfire.com or call 713-495-4266.